

## NEW BATTLESHIPS FOR AMERICAN NAVY

Two Dreadnoughts, the New York and Texas, Ready for Acceptance.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
New York, March 21.—Even tons of steel, caissons, explosives can be hurried fourteen miles every minute from the ten fourteen-mile caissons of the new battleship New York, which is to be placed in commission one month ahead of contract time.

These guns are the largest on any battleship in the world.

The New York, together with her sister ship, the Texas, are the largest vessels in the United States Navy. The Texas is in the ready condition, and will arrive in the Brooklyn Navy Yard on Monday morning from Newport News for acceptance by the navy.

The main armament of the two new ships is composed of ten fourteen-inch guns in five turrets, two forward and three after. These turrets are so arranged that a full broadside can be fired from either side of the vessel. While each of the ten monster guns can be fired individually, the second consists of twenty-one five-inch guns. Each battleship has two submerged torpedo tubes forward. Both have twelve-inch armor plating.

Both Superdreadnoughts are identical in construction. They are 325 feet long, 95 feet beam, and have normal draughts of 28 feet. Each vessel has a displacement of 28,000 tons fully loaded, and the 30,000 indicated horsepower will drive them forward at rate of twenty-one knots per hour.

The new ships will be placed in commission on April 1 under the command of Captain T. S. Rogers, recent head of the Naval Intelligence Bureau in Washington. Her other officers will be Commander George Day, executive officer, Lieutenant-Commander William C. Watts, navigating officer, Lieutenant-Commander Overstreet, first lieutenant, and Lieutenant-Commander W. H. Tardie, of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, who also told the new ship.

It is understood that the New York will later become flagship of the Atlantic fleet. She has been specially constructed for that purpose. The New York will probably leave for Guantanamo, Cuba, to undergo her tests.

### FISHERMEN DISTURBED.

Fear Effect of Heavy Gun Firing on Their Catches.  
Norfolk, Va., March 21.—Virginia fishermen on the shores of Chesapeake Bay are much disturbed over the coming target practice work of the Atlantic fleet off the Virginia Capes. The fishermen declare that the booming of the guns near the narrow entrance to the Chesapeake will greatly reduce the spring run of fish, both for net and hook and line species. The fishermen are preparing to appeal to the national government against the heavy firing inside of the Virginia Capes.

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## NEWSPAPER MANAGED AND OWNED BY WOMAN

Countess of Bathurst Is Very  
Active in Operations of  
the London Post.

BY LA MARQUESE DE PONTENROY.

LADY BATHURST'S refusal to permit the advertisement of the London Times, announcing the reduction of its price to one penny, to appear in the Morning Post has served to call attention to the fact that this paper is not only owned by the Countess of Bathurst, but likewise managed by her. In fact, she takes a very active share in its management, and has already attracted some attention in the journalistic world by the readiness with which she changes the members of the staff of the paper whenever she has any reason to find

fault with them. She inherited the paper from her father, the late Lord Glenesk, as his only surviving child, and is married to the seventh Earl of Bathurst, great-grandson of that Lord Bathurst whose name is so profoundly execrated by the Bonapartists, owing to the circumstance that he was the statesman responsible for the exile and captivity of the First Napoleon at St. Helena.

Curiously enough, the present Lady Bathurst is a very great admirer of Napoleon, and when, during the Boer War, her husband, Lord Bathurst, was command the British government to command the garrison of St. Helena, where General Cronje and some thousands of Boer prisoners were interned until the end of the conflict, she made her quarters in a bungalow erected for the accommodation of the British and herself on the Longwood estate, only a short distance from the house which had been the residence of the First Napoleon, and where he died. Her letters throughout her stay in St. Helena were all dated from Longwood, and it certainly seemed strange to receive letters bearing the signature of "Bathurst" from such an address.

Lady Bathurst was very anxious to buy Longwood, but found that Countess Victoria, on the occasion of her first stay in Paris, had made a present of it to Napoleon III, while visiting with him the tomb of the first Emperor, under the dome of the Palace of Invalides. Incidentally, I may add that Longwood has, since Lady Bathurst's stay on the island, been allowed to fall into a lamentable state of wreck and ruin, owing to the fact that neither Empress Eugenie nor the Bonapartist pretender at Brussels, nor yet the French government, will contribute a penny piece to keep the place in repair.

Lady Bathurst never makes any secret as to her resentment about the manner in which the First Napoleon was treated at St. Helena, and insists that his exile there is one of the most deplorable pages in French history. She also states that his jailer, Sir Hudson Lowe, was stupid, menial, and "little of a gentleman," and that he contributed more than anything else to give Englishmen "the reputation of being cruel."

Lady Bathurst is one of the best known women in London society. This is due to the fact that her parents' house was among the most hospitable in London, that her mother's salons enjoyed a European reputation, and that after Lady Glenesk's death it was she, Lady Bathurst, who was wont to do the honors of her father's establishment. The house of the late Lord and Lady Glenesk was in Piccadilly, just east of the Bachelors' Club, and formerly belonged to the poet, Byron. It was there that the bard wrote his "Parisian" and his "Song of Corinth," and it was there, too, that he spent his brief married life, his salons constituting the scene of his final quarrel and parting with Lady Byron. Lady Bathurst inherited it from her father on his death, but after a few years she sold it, and moved to Bruton Street, owing to the fact that Piccadilly, with its motor buses, its processions of Socialists, of unemployed, and of suffragettes, has become so noisy as to be disagreeable as a residence.

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A few years ago a United States postal clerk of Pueblo, in Colorado, known as Dwight Lawrence Bathurst, organized an association, with the object of proving his title to the earldom and the estates of Lord Bathurst, tracing his ancestry back to the Bathursts of American Revolutionary days, and claiming descent from one Lawrence Bathurst, son of the first Earl, who is alleged to have emigrated to America. None of the standard "Peerages" contain any mention of a son named Lawrence among the children of the first Earl of Bathurst, and, although statements credited to the claimant's attorneys were printed to the effect that they had received an offer from Lord Bathurst to compromise his pretensions for \$1,000,000, the claimant has signally failed to establish his alleged rights.

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## PRIZES AWARDED TANGO DANCERS

Large Gathering at Lee Chapter  
"The Damsel" at Jefferson  
Hotel.

The "the-damsel" given by Lee Chapter, of the Daughters of the Confederacy, yesterday afternoon at the Jefferson Hotel was a tremendous success. The features of the entertainment, which was attended by several hundred well-known society people, were the special dances, Mlle. Nora White danced the "Maxine" and the tango with Raymond Massey, both exhibition dances being much applauded. Mlle. White wore a French gown of Roman striped leather-colored taffeta, finished with a wide white ruffles of ecru net, and skirt which was made in two deep puffs, and caught up with a ribbon sash of dark green and a big bow of the same to finish the girdle. Her hat was a fascinating little affair of green straw trimmed in dark green ribbon and light pink rosebuds.

Another specialty dance that won applause from the crowded tea tables was the tango danced by Miss French Patton and Mr. Moore. Miss Patton was gowned in black charmeuse with a bodice of cream-colored net, and her hat was of black straw and roses. Miss Mary Ervin, dancing with Raymond Massey, wore the handsome soiree cup that was awarded in the contest dance, and the second ribbon was won by Miss Effie Williams and John McQuire. Miss Lucille Pelouze, dancing with Ross Millhiser, won the third honor. The judges of the contest were Mrs. Sam Cohen, Joseph O'Hara, of New York, and James J. Pollard.

Mrs. Andrew J. Montague is president of Lee Chapter of the Damsels. In yesterday was a brilliant event in every detail. Many handsome spring toilettes were in evidence, and the dancing set was out in full force for the tango and the social tables were set with slender vases of red and white roses, and the stage, where the orchestra was stationed, was banked in palms, bay trees and Confederate flags. Among those noted were Miss Katherine Gunn, Miss Virginia Whiteley, Fred G. Pollard, Mrs. Edgar Gunn, Miss Bell Perkins, Miss Phyllis Taylor, Mrs. Atkinson, the Misses Erwin, Miss Theresa G. Higgins, Miss Eleanor Higgins, Mrs. James D. Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cloyd Kent, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smyth, Mrs. Frank Stacy, Mrs. Newton McVeigh, Miss Lucille Massey, Mrs. Sam Cohen, Ross Millhiser, Mrs. Fred Pleasant, Mrs. J. St. George Bryan, Mrs. Stuart Hume, Mrs. Victor Meddis, of Kentucky; Miss Gay Montague, Mrs. Allen Donnan, Miss Emily Royall, Mrs. Angus Clarke, Miss Caroline Preston, Thomas Preston, Miss Elizabeth Preston, Miss Doris Jones, Mrs. Henry Landon Cabell, Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. Cullen Pitt, Mrs. Landon B. Edwards, Leigh R. Page, Miss Harriet Gunn, Mrs. Philip Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. James J. Pollard, Mrs. Arthur Cannon, Mrs. Basil Spalding, Mrs. Neil D. Sills, Mrs. N. L. Massey, Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Smyth, Mrs. de Solo Fitzgerald, Miss Marion Meade, Miss Joseph Jackson, Miss Allene Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. G. Weidner, Mrs. E. A. Robinson, Mrs. Duncan Smith, of New York; Mrs. W. D. Thomas, Mrs. Louis Cutchins, Mrs. Howard Filthman, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Parker, Mrs. Thomas Pollard, Dr. and Mrs. George Ben Johnston, John Rutherford, Mr. John A. Coke, Jr., Henry Ellett, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Swartwout, Miss Elsie Harrison, Francis Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Chandler, Miss Mary Irvin Watkins, Mrs. Hugh Woolfolk, Mrs. Call, Miss Elizabeth Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Pinder, Edward Trigg, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin M. Smith, Mrs. John S. Munroe, William Jefferson, Mrs. Mary Meek, Bruce Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burton Snead, Mr.

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## MAYOR APPROVES PLAN FOR TAG DAY

Writes Letter Indorsing Work of Instructive Visiting Nurses' Association.

Permission to use the streets, parks and public buildings on April 3, the date set aside by the Instructive Visiting Nurses' Association for Tag Day, was given yesterday by Mayor Ainslee. The work of the association was strongly indorsed by the Mayor in a letter addressed to Mrs. W. W. Morton, president of the organization, which follows: "My Dear Madam,—I have just received your request that the Instructive Visiting Nurses' Association be granted permission to hold a Tag Day in this city on Friday, April 3, 1914, for the purpose of receiving voluntary contributions to the support of its work. "The visiting nurses, who know not race nor creed nor condition, and who ever respond to the cry of the helpless, are so firmly entrenched in the regard and affections of this community that any appeal in their behalf is

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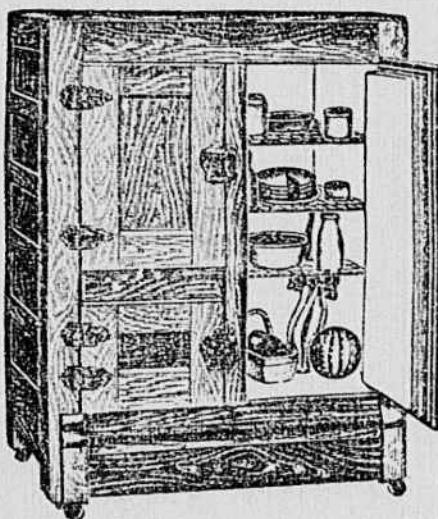
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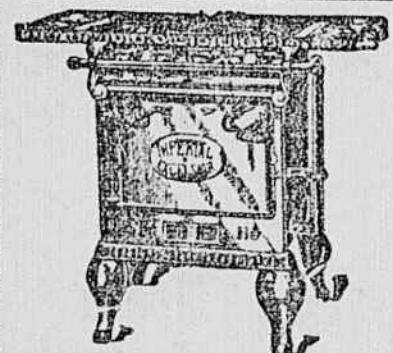
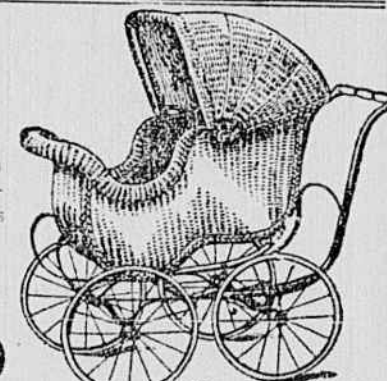
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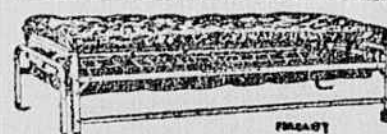


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